

approved by the court having jurisdiction of proceedings to establish the paternity of the child, in full settlement of all obligations for the care, maintenance and education of such child; and shall hold or dispose of the same as ordered by said court. Such settlement shall discharge the father of all further liability, civil and criminal, on account of such child; provided that such settlement shall not affect any liability of the father under section 3219—; *and provided that this section shall not apply to any case where a judgment of paternity has been entered pursuant to the provisions of this statute.*

Approved April 23, 1921.

CHAPTER 490—S. F. No 641.

An act relating to certain national banks complying with Section 6405, General Statutes 1913, in certain respects and being entitled to the privileges extended to trust companies under Section 6410, General Statutes 1913.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. National banks may act as trustees when.—Any National Bank in this state granted a special permit by the Federal Reserve Board to act in a fiduciary capacity under the provision of Sub-Section K of Section 11, of the Federal Reserve Act as amended by the Act of September 26, 1918, may assign, transfer to, and deposit with the Superintendent of Banks, and procure his certificate therefor, the kinds and amounts of authorized securities required of a Trust Company in a city or village wherein such National Bank is located, by Section 6405, General Statutes 1913. Provided that such national bank which has a capital of \$500,000 or over shall not be required to deposit such securities for more than 10% of such capital. The securities so deposited shall be held and maintained as a guaranty fund for such National Bank for the performance of its duties in such fiduciary capacity.

Whenever such National Bank has complied with said Section 6405, as aforesaid, no oath or security shall be required of it in the acceptance and performance of any such trust as provided in Section 6410, General Statutes 1913.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 491—S. F. No. 646.

An act providing a method for accounting the expenses and re-

ceipts of farming operations and imposing certain powers and duties on the commissioner of agriculture and county agricultural agents in connection therewith.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

Section 1. Commissioner of agriculture to prepare form of account books for farms.—In addition to the powers now conferred on him by law, the commissioner of agriculture is hereby empowered and it is made his duty to cause to be prepared at the expense of the state a standard form of account book and record designed for use in the recording of the receipts and expenditures of farming operations and in ascertaining the cost of production of the several kinds of crops and stock produced, the profits therefrom which shall be known as, "the standard farm account approved by the commissioner of agriculture," and shall be filed in his office and be open to public inspection.

Sec. 2. Copies shall be distributed.—A sufficient number of copies thereof shall be printed by him at the expense of the state and shall be distributed among the several county agricultural agents. It shall be the duty of said agents to solicit and advise persons engaged in agricultural pursuits to use such standard farm account and to instruct and aid such persons in so doing.

Sec. 3. County agricultural agents shall secure data for statistical purposes.—Annually on or before January first each county agricultural agent shall forward to at least from ten to twenty-five persons engaged in agricultural pursuits in his county, the same being persons who are operating farms under average conditions existing in such county, and known to be using a standard farm account, a questionnaire, to be prepared by the commissioner of agriculture and supplied to such agents, containing inquiries as to the cost of production of various farm products, the amount received from the sale thereof, the average profit therefrom, and as to other matters deemed pertinent to the subject of profitable farming, with the request that the same be fully answered and returned to the county agent sending the same. Thereafter such county agent shall compile the answers and data contained in the questionnaires returned to him and shall send to the commissioner of agriculture a report of such compilation. And said commissioner shall publish in his official bulletin any data, statistics or information contained in such reports which in his opinion will be of use to persons engaged in agricultural pursuits.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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